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Events

NPS held a memorial ceremony on August 10th to honor NPS Alum and Dean of Students Captain Alan "Dex" Poindexter who was tragically killed in an accident off the coast of Florida on July 1st.

A 1995 aeronautical engineering graduate of NPS, Dex was an accomplished combat Navy pilot, astronaut, husband, and father. He was widely respected across campus for his leadership, professionalism, and exemplary personal character.

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Awards

Captain Dylan Schmorow, USN
Deputy Director, Human Performance,
Training and BioSystems, OSD
(Research and Engineering)

Master of Science in Modeling, Virtual Environments,
and Simulation, March 1998
Master of Science, Operations Research, September 1998
Presented 26 July 2012

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Dr. Todd Calhoun
Director of Programs Assessment and
Evaluation, Programs and Resources
Department, Headquarters, USMC

Master of Science in Management-with *Distinction*
December 1998
Presented 25 July 2012

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HAS IT BEEN AWHILE
SINCE YOU VISITED THE COMMUNITY?



Do you want to visit the NPS campus?

Check out the "Visiting NPS" section of the NPS Online Community.

- Visit requests for badge and gate access.
- Hotel and local area attraction info.
- Assistance with your visit from the Alumni Relations Office.



NPS Outreach

NPS regularly exhibits at conferences around the country.
We invite you to stop by the NPS booth if you're in the area.

Tailhook

Reno, Nevada
9/6/2012 to 9/9/2012

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ONR S&T

National Harbor, Maryland
10/22/2012 to 10/24/2012

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TechNet Asia-Pacific 2012
Honolulu, Hawaii

11/13/2012 to 11/15/2012

ITSEC Modeling and Simulation Conference
Orlando, Florida
12/3/2012 to 12/6/2012

VIEW THE FULL CONFERENCE CALENDAR

Upcoming Events

NPS Foundation Quarterly Event
An Evening with Colonel Danny R. McKnight, USA (Ret.)

September 20, 2012
Naval Postgraduate School ME Auditorium

Quick Links

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MESSAGE BOARDS

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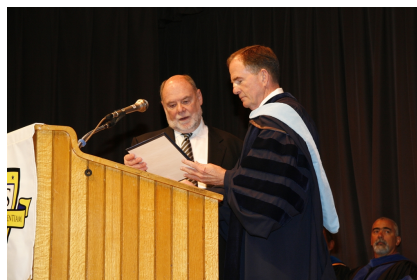
NPS VIDEO PORTAL

DISTANCE LEARNING PROGRAMS AND OPPORTUNITIES

Gordon Eubanks

Master of Science, Computer Science
December 1976
Presented 15 June 2012

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Admiral William H. McRaven
Commander,
United States Special Operations Command

Master of Arts in National Security Affairs
June 1993
Presented 7 June 2012

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Networking



Director of Alumni Relations, Kari Miglaw, discusses the strategy for the "Groups" function used in the NPS Alumni Online Community.
Photo Courtesy of iModules, Inc.

iModules, which provides the software platform for the NPS Alumni Online Community (AOC), held its annual conference in Kansas City, Missouri from July 22-25. This year's theme focused on online communications/networking trends and strategies, specifically, how peer institutions are innovatively using iModules software. Staff from the Alumni Relations Office, Kari Miglaw and Nicole Cole, were invited to participate as presenters at the conference and outlined to a packed audience how the AOC's new curriculum-based Groups feature in iModules was implemented, is managed and used to foster greater communication among AOC members.

In addition, John Hill, LinkedIn's Higher Education Evangelist and keynote speaker at the conference, discussed a strategic partnership between iModules and LinkedIn that will allow members to log into the AOC with their LinkedIn credentials and connect with their LinkedIn accounts through the

AOC for up-to-date cross platform data-sharing, boosting career services and business networking opportunities for our NPS AOC members. It is well known that LinkedIn is a valuable resource for professionals, so the integration between the AOC and LinkedIn is a highly anticipated addition to the NPS AOC, one expected to go live in early September: look for more details on this exciting addition to the NPS AOC later this month!

NPS ALUM on the Road....



NPS alum, Marlee Rust ('06, Defense Analysis) with the latest edition of the NPS InReview Magazine at the 2012 AUVSI Conference in Las Vegas. Posing with AUVSI president (as Elvis) Michael Tocano.



ALUMNI ARE



13,538 of your fellow NPS alumni are on LinkedIn®...are you?

This Fall, the premier networking tool for professionals—LinkedIn—is launching new features that will allow alumni to connect their Alumni Online Community and LinkedIn accounts.

Take advantage of this opportunity by updating your account to allow for maximum benefits of these new services. Looking to network in your locale/professional area?

Check out the “Top 12” for current NPS alumni on LinkedIn, below.

Where they live...



Greater New York City Area-179
Jacksonville, Florida Area-183
Hawaiian Islands-183
Greater Los Angeles Area-271
San Francisco Bay Area-287
Greater Seattle Area-319
Baltimore, Maryland Area-368
Monterey, California Area-615
Norfolk, Virginia Area-862
Greater San Diego Area-917
Washington D.C. Metro Area-3,198

Where they work...



Lockheed Martin-59
SPAWAR-60
United States Navy Reserve-61
Northrop Grumman-96
United States DoD-101
SAIC-121
Booz Allen Hamilton-122
United States Air Force-257
Naval Postgraduate School-259
United States Army-316
United States Marine Corps-378
United States Navy-1,613

UPDATED ALUMNI LIBRARY ACCESS

Dudley Knox Library has extended services to NPS degree-recipient alumni for another year of access of DJL services and selected licensed resources. Access all these these services through our new Alumni Access page:

<http://libguides.nps.edu/Alumni>

**GET CONNECTED....
STAY CONNECTED...**

JOIN A GROUP!

NPS Online Community Groups bring alumni together for career development and networking:

GSBPP

DA/SOLIC

Joint C4I

MOVES

Systems Engineering



EXTRA! EXTRA!

Interested in what your fellow alumni have been up to lately? Check out their latest newsworthy achievements in the Alumni in the News section of the Online Community.

Have some alumni news to share? Email us at alumni@nps.edu

What they do...



Creative-104
 Sales-193
 Human Resources-199
 Public Relations-235
 Business Development-326
 Finance-347
 Consultant-362
 Entrepreneur-424
 Information Technology-858
 Operations-963
 Engineering-1,166
 Administrative-1,642

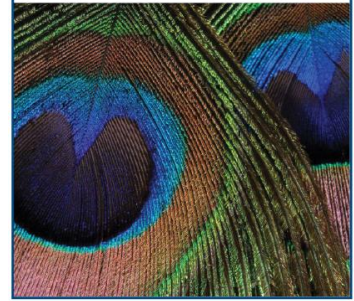
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And online

www.npsfoundation.org/peacock_shop



NPS Publications



Check out the latest issue to learn more!

In this issue...

- >> NPS leads the charge in creating the next generation of warriors that will carry out the DoD goals of power projection and superiority in the Fifth Domain with it's latest addition to its portfolio of degrees.
- >> Latest EMBA cohort includes group from NASA's Johnson Space Center.
- >> USSOCOM Commander and Alumnus Admiral McRaven outlines the future of SpecOps during SGL.
- >> NPS Alumnus and Under Secretary of the Navy, the honorable Robert O. Work, visits campus to offer his vision on the future of the Navy/Marine Corps team.
- >> Alumnus applies engineering studies in efficient power systems to building the Navy's new DDG 1000.

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